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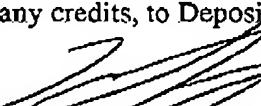
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Dear Sir:

In response to the Office Action mailed December 12, 2006, the period of response for which runs through March 12, 2007, please amend the application as follows.

Amendments to the Specification begin on page 2 of this paper.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 3 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 7 of this paper.